LOCAL MENTION.

AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

Academy-Montgomery Irving in "Custer's Last Fight," 8:15 p.m. Chase's-Polite vaudeville, 8:15 p.m. Columbia-Primrose Minstrel Company,

Kernan's-"The Merry Maidens," 8:15 p.m. Lafayette-"The Belle of Avenue A," 8:15

National-Maude Adams in "Peter Pan,"

EXCURSIONS TOMORROW.

Norfolk and Washington steamers for Fort Monroe, Norfolk and all points south every day in the year at 6:30 p.m.

Electric trains from 12th and Pennsylvania avenue for Mount Vernon hourly, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Arlington and Alexandria every twenty minutes. Cars from station Aqueduct bridge for Ar-

lington, Fort Myer and Falls Church half Steamer Charles Macalester for Mount Vernon at 10 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.

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A visitor from Elint Hill, Va., who gave his name as George W. Settle, and his age as forty-six years, was struck by an electric car at 6th street and Pennsylvania avenue northwest last night. injuries to his right foot, and was treated at the Emergency Hospital.

How About the Blankets? Have them washed properly by the Tolman Laundry, Double, 50c.; 6th and C.

The police of the sixth precinct claim that Albert Davis, a young colored man, was under the influence of liquor last night when drove his team into a wagon owned and driven by Mrs. Catherine Sweeny of Bladensburg. The collision occurred on H street, and Davis was arrested. Mrs. Sweeny's wagon was damaged to the extent of about \$5 by the impact.

If You Have a Piano Word Contest certificate send your name to Box 211, Star

Antique and Other Rare Furniture in great variety at the Art Galleries of Brown & Tolson, Aucts., 1409 H st. n.w.

Great Bear a Pure Spring Water. 4 gallons for 50c. Office, 704 11th.

CITY AND DISTRICT.

Policeman Balderson of the tenth precinct found a dead white male infant about 6 o'clock this morning on a vacant lot in the suburbs. The body was sent to the morgue and Coroner J. Ramsey Nevitt no-

A beer bottle was used as a weapon last night by the husband of Rebecca McKay, colored, in assaulting her at their home, 347 Wilson street northwest, acording to a police report. The woman was treated for a bad gash on the head at the Freedmen's

Arthur Dutch, colored, twenty-two years of age, was taken seriously Ill at 322 Clark court southwest last night, and was removed by the fourth precinct police to the Emergency Hospital.

Dolls' Stockings Free at Kann's.

Saturday, October 21 (this week), will be dolls' day at Kann's. We have invited every boy and girl in this city to bring his or her dolls and have them fitted with dolls' stockings free. We have more than 12,000 pairs to give away Saturday. There are nine different sizes, so that all dolls may be fitted. No purchases are necessary to get these. Special invitations to schools, hospitals and institutions have been issued. The firm has arranged for a large number of nurses and attendants to care for children, show strangers about the store and generally assist in making little people comfortable. This will, without doubt, be the greatest day for children in the history of Washington. An event of this character has never been attempted on this scale

Writ of Habeas Corpus Ordered.

Chief Justice Clabaugh has directed that a writ of habeas corpus be issued, returnable the 20th instant, in the case of Samuel Kupferberg, recently sentenced to imprisonment in jail for four months. While his trial was in progress several years ago Kupferberg fled the jurisdiction. Notwithstanding his absence he was convicted of common law conspiracy to defraud a local street rallway company. Kupferberg, it was charged, operated with another man. The scheme was for one of them to fall from a street car and his claim for damages would be substantiated by the other, who posed as a stranger and as a witness of the alleged

The defendant was recently apprehended in St. Louis and brought here in custody. It is contended in the petition for the writ of habeas corpus, filed through Attorney Julius I. Peyser, that Kupferberg was never arraigned and never pleaded to the indict-ment, and that therefore the trial, conviction and sentence are void.

Attend Frederick Fair, Oct. 17 to 20. Tickets gold for all Baltimore & Ohio R.R. trains October 17 to 20, at rate \$2.20 for the round trip, including admission. Special train leaves Washington 8 a.m. on Wednesday and Thursday, 18th and 19th, stopping at intermediate stations; returning at 5:30 p.m. same dates.-Advt.

Daughters of 1812. The first monthly meeting of the season of the Daughters of 1812 Society was held Saturday afternoon at the Ebbitt House. Mrs. K. K. Henry, regent, called the meeting to order. Mrs. Norton acted as secretary in the absence of Mrs. March. The registrar, Miss Goddard, had a number of admission blanks ready to be signed by the regent. Some interesting papers were read concerning other chapters of the society. Mrs. Henry announced that she had been appointed by the national executive board, in New York, secretary of philanthropy in the presidential cabinet of the National So-ciety of Daughters of 1812.

Cancer for Twenty Years.

Practically in that time no developments have been made for its cure, excepting the knife which has been abandoned by the more thoughtful physicians. A book upon its treatment and cure has been published by Benj. F. Bye, M. D., of Indianapolis, which promises to be the beginning of the end of carcer, and is mailed free to physi-cians and those who are afflicted.—Advt.

Verdict for Defendant.

Hearing begun yesterday before Justice Barnard and a jury in Circuit Court No. 1 of the suit at law filed by Lettle Marshall. as administratrix of Robert Marshall, de ceased, to recover damages in the sum of \$10,000, resulted in a verdict for the defendant. It was alleged that September 22, 1904, Robert Marshall, while at the intersection of 15th street and Pennsylvania section of 15th street and Pennsylvania avenue, was knocked down, run over and instantly killed by a motor vehicle which the defendant allowed to be operated by a person not qualified so to do. The plaintiff was represented by Attorneys Wolf & Rosenberg and Milton Strasburger, while Attorneys M. J. Colbert and John J. Hamilton appeared for the defendant.

THE THEATER.

"Peter Pan" Tonight. Maude Adams, whose opening at the New National was postponed from Monday night, is to make her first appearance tonight in "Peter Pan," the play by J. M. Barrie. This will be the first presentation

in America.

Columbia Theater. George Primrose and his merry minstrels are paying their annual visit to Washington, and at the Columbia Theater last night a large and appreciative audience gave the black-face artists the usual hearty welcome. Old-time and modern minstrelsy, burlesque and spectacular features, songs of comic quality and ballads of musical beauty made up the performance. The contrast between old-time and modern minstrelsy was made more vivid by means of

a dark change in the first part.

George Primrose, nimble and light-footed as of old, appeared with his dancing class in some fancy clog work that made a hit with the audience, and the performance closed with a series of scenic tableaux showing the evolution of the colored race from the days in darkest Africa up to the pres-

Lafayette Opera House.

Elfle Fay, who only a few years ago was of the chorus" of the Bijou/Theater Stock Company, this city, is in town this week at the Lafayette at the head of her own company, and heralded as "Broadway's Favorite Comedienne." The musical comedy in which she appears is Miss Fay's vaudeville vehicle, "The Belle of Avenue A" expanded into three acts and considerably coarsened. As of yore Miss Fay's chief stock in trade is the ability to make grimaces and do steps. She has this particular field all to herself. A great deal of attention has been bestowed on the musical portion of the entertainment, in which a number of capable performers appear, assisted by a jauntily costumed chorus.

Chase's Theater.

The Orpheum Show, at Chase's Theater this week, offers at the head of the bill "Ye Colonial Septette" in "An Old Tyme Virginia Hallowe'en." The scenery and costumes for this act are especially attractive and the music is good. There are on "English Types," and Winona Winter in songs and imitations. The one-act com-edy, "He, She and Me," is presented by the Horsky-Bergere company. A dancing num-ber is given by the Fords and an exhibi-tion of comic tumbling by Campbell and Lohnson, Marian's deep to Johnson. Merian's dogs, in a dog-village drama entitled "A Faithless Wife," help to give the entertainment variety. Motion pictures of the big automobile race on Long Island last Saturday were shown.

Academy of Music.

Hal Reid's new production, "Custer's Last Fight," opened a week's engagement at the Academy of Music last night before an enthusiastic audience. The story deals with the adventures of Buffalo Bill, the government Indian scout, and the raids of a large army of redmen led by Yellow Hand, their chief, who has a score of ven-geance to settle with Buffalo Bill. In one of the Indian raids Buffalo Bill's mother is killed and his sweetheart and adopted daughter are captured, but are rescued by Buffalo Bill with the aid of Gen. Custer and his soldiers. Custer's last fight is shown to the audience by the aid of motion pic-tures in the last act.

Kernan's Lyceum Theater.

The Merry Maidens Company, presenting "The Maiden and the Mule," a three-act musical farce, is this week's attraction at Kernan's Lyceum Theater. Sam Rice and Billy Spencer appear as the principal comedians. The specialty of Charles and Fanny

Sale of Furniture and Carpets.

A large quantity of housekeeping effects, second-hand carpets, &c., will be sold at Sloan's, 1407 G st. (2d floor), tomorrow at 10 a.m. Housekeepers and dealers invited. An absolute auction, as usual.-Advt.

Dr. Harding's Sermon on Duty.

The Rev. Dr. Alfred Harding, rector of St Paul's P. E. Church, 23d street, preached an eloquent sermon Sunday evening on the duty of children toward their parents and the reciprocal duty. His text was "Children, Obey Thy Parents."

In the course of his sermon he said: "I would a thousand times rather see a parent come to me and ask me to let his child come home that he may teach him there instead of coming to the Sunday school. I would be glad to see that you take so much interest. The home is the foundation of the child's life work. The child that learns nothing from its parents can be expected to learn very little from the Sun-day school. The Sunday school is a great institution, but there is no teacher or institution on earth that can impart good common sense, knowledge of the world and the church that the parent is able to do. "The greatest mistake, and one of the worst evils of the day, is that the parent lets the child choose its own religion. It is one of the wickedest of sins. You are a hypocrite who pretend to be a member of the church and a Christian, and yet disobey the fundamental principles of the church by letting your child run wild and do as it likes. How can the child be ex-pected to obey you if you let it do as it likes?"

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Liquor League Convention.

A delegation bound for the twelfth annual convention of the National Liquor League of America, to be held at Madison Square Garden, New York city, October 18, 19 and 20, left over the Baltimore and Ohio railroad on the 11 o'clock train this merning. Representatives from every city in the country where liquor is sold will be present, and the largest and most imgathering in the history of the organization is anticipated. Among those the Washington party were National President Jordan, National Executive Committeeman Hugh Harvey, National Legis-lative Committeemen McGuire and Whalen, Delegates Leonard, Stewart and Davidson, accompanied by Messrs. Adolph Loehl. Charles Eckstein, August Brill, Charles Jacobson, Edward Neumeyer, Louis Bush, Frank Hall, P. F. Carr, Eugene Mayhew, Levy Herman, Adolph Loeble, Carr, Eugene Mayhew, Levy Herman, Adolph Levy Herman, Le Hermann and others, with their

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Recovering From Illness.

Mr. John Lee Cole, son of Dr. John T. Cole of this city, who has been seriously ill at Linden, Va., for several weeks past, is recovering, and it is expected that his condition will be such as to allow him to be brought home in a few days. Dr. Cole, who has been at the bedside of his son during his illness, has returned home.

Wilson & Mayers' Carpet Sale, Thursday, 10 a.m., 1227 G st. Handsome goods, new and perfect. See them.-Advt.

Delegates Depart for Springfield. The local delegates to the annual encampment of the Union Veterans' Union departed from Washington yesterday afternoon at 4:55 o'clock for Springfield, Ill.,

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Hearing in Case of Mrs. Anna J.

Cooper. The board of education at its special meeting last night reopened the hearings in the investigation of Mrs. Anna J. Cooper, principal of the M Street High School. The investigation, which was to have closed tonight by the completion of Mrs. Cooper's brief, will not be finished in all probability until tomorrow evening. The reading of the defense was not begun last night, as the three delegations named in The Star yesterday appeared and offered testimony. The aim of each was to offer proof that

Mrs. Cooper's administration is satisfactory to the majority.

The board accepted the resignation of E. E. Stacy, and appointed Eisle Michaelsen to the first grade. The following promotions were ordered: C. G. Chappell, from second to third grade; Viola Offutt, from first to second grade; Amelia Rakeman, from \$550 to \$575 per annum; Blanche Street, \$575 to \$600; L. E. Heller, \$500 to \$525; L. G. Hart, \$500 to \$525; B. M. Hipkins, \$550 to \$600; Lillian Hoover, \$525 to \$550; M. B. Hilleary, \$500 to \$525; E. A. Higgins, \$500 to \$550; Bertha to \$525; E. A. Higgins, \$500 to \$550; Bertha Newhouser, \$500 to \$550; Ida Doyle, \$500 to \$525; Alma Herrie, \$525 to \$550; M. E. Clarke, \$550 to \$575; J. C. Jackson, \$550 to \$600; M. M. Bruce, \$525 to \$550; Joseph Johnson, \$500 to \$525; E. C. Jackson, \$525 to \$550, and I. M. Lind, \$525 to \$550.

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Must Make Annual Statement.

After many weeks of controversy it has been decided by the corporation counsel that the American Home Life Insurance Company, the Provident Relief Association, the Royal Life Insurance Company and the Union Insurance Company must submit to the superintendent of insurance, annually, statements of their true financial condition. It was the contention of the companies that they are assessment organizations, and consequently not governed by the same law as other insurance companies, but the cor-poration counsel, in his opinion, declares that each of the four has a capital stock, and that they are accordingly required to furnish financial statements, as required by also Harry Davenport in his dissertation the superintendent of the insurance depart-

> Family Orders for D. William Oyster's Matchless Creamery Butter, delivered weekly and semi-weekly. Stands, 340 Center market, 68 Riggs market.—Adv.

Police Privates Promoted.

Following the retirement on pensions of Policemen Sawyer and Lombardy, it has been recommended by Major Sylvester, and approved by the Commissioners, that W. E. Stewart and W. T. Tyser, privates of class 1, be promoted to class 2. The vacancies made by the promotions of Stewart and Tyser have been filled by the appointment of Edward S. Wood and Joseph W. Price.

Wedding Decorations by Shaffer. 14th and I, are distinguished for good taste.

Found to Be Insane.

sunday promenaders on Pennsylvania avenue Sunday afternoon were surprised to see a well-dressed young blonde woman pirouctting in the middle of the roadway at the corner of 9th street northwest. Suddenly the young woman stepped on the track directly in front of an approaching car and fell to the ground. The spectators looked on horrified, while the motorman applied the brakes with all the force at his command, stopping the car within a few paces of the spot where the woman had fallen between the rails.

Policeman Charlton was attracted to the spot and took the woman into custody. She gave her name as Margaret Scheuch, twenty years of age, and, becoming hysterical, was removed to the Emergency Hospital. While being taken there she struggled violently to free herself from the grasp of the police-

After she had been quieted at the hospital she said her parents live at Locust Point, near Baltimore, but that she had been employed at various places in Washington for several months. Miss Scheuch was examined by the police surgeons yesterday, and sent to St. Eliza-beth's Hospital for the Insane for treat-

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University Congress.

The University Congress of the George Washington University held its first meeting of the present scholastic year Saturday evening in University Hall. "The house" resolved itself into a committee of the whole to discuss the general appropriation bill, with Mr. Bone of Illinois in the chair. The democratic forces vigorously assailed the policies of the republican party as to tariff, reciprocity, etc., while the republican members as strenuously attacked the position of the democrats. Enthusiastic speeches were made by Speaker Merritt of Arkansas, Hellerstedt of Tennessee, Fravel of Virginia, Baldwin of New York, Peterson of Michigan, Ramsey of Illinois, chester of Ohio and Christenson of Utah. Next Saturday evening the question of restraining the sale of intoxicating liquors In the District will be discussed, and the fight will be led on one side by Bone of Illinois and Christenson of Utah, and on the other by Fravel of Virginia and Ram-

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Will of Adolph Berger. By the terms of the will of Adolph Berger, dated October 6, 1903, and filed for probate, his personal effects are left to Cora A. Columbus, and the remainder of his estate to the Washington Loan and Trust Company in trust to pay the income thereof to his daughter for life. Upon her death the property is to be divided among the children of Mrs. Columbus.

"Another Place to Rent Houses." Stone & Fairfax have an "uptown office" at 1342 New York ave., adjoining the corner of 14th. "Drop in" and get their list.—Advt.

A Minister Surprised.

Saturday evening the pastor of the Tenleytown Baptist Church, Rev. G. W. Mc-Cullough, and his wife were surprised by a visit from the members of the church and congregation. The object of the visit was to take to the pastor's home a harvest donation, the visitors having gifts of groceries, fruits, vegetables, meats, canned goods and other useful articles for the home, and the larder was well stocked with good things for the minister's family. The evening was spent in a pleasant way. Wm. E. Jones expressed the good wishes of the people to the pastor and his wife.

For Woman's Eye

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Miscellaneous Sales.

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Anything may be advertised in The Star under For Sale Miscellaneous at one cent a word each day if the notice is inserted for three days or more. Many sales are made by small amounts invested in advertising.

Income at 4:55 o'clock for Springfield, III., where the encampment is to be held. The party includes principally the local staff officers and a number of ladies who will attend the annual meeting of the Women's Veteran Relief Association. The party travels via the Baltimore and Ohio rall-food. It will be augumented with delegations from various cities along the route. It is expected that there will be hundreds of persons with the Washington contingent when it finally arrives at Spring-field.

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WESTERN LIFE INDEMNITY.

Meeting of Local Policy Holders Held Exercises at Union M. E. Church

Last Night. The meeting of the policyholders of the Western Life Indemnity Company of Chicago, which was held last evening at the residence of John L. Schaffert, was attended by nineteen policyholders of this city, representing about \$78,000 worth of insurance. The main business before the meeting was to organize into a committee to represent the local interests and to decide whether to affiliate with the policyholders' committee of Chicago. After some discussion Mr. John G. Schaffert was elected president, Mr. W. R. Bailey secre-

tary and Mr. W. P. Tulloch treasurer.

Clippings from papers in Baltimore and

the recent marriage and movements of E. I. Rosenfeid, the general manager of the company, to whom some of the clippings referred as having wrecked the company in which the local policyholders are interested, were read. The communications addressed to the local people by the policy-holders' committee of Chicago, asking them to affiliate with the movement there and to send their proxies so as to be of aid in the movement to rearrange the officers and directory of the company, were also read. It was alleged at the meeting that Mr. Rosenfeld was to receive the sum of \$200,-Rosenfeld was to receive the sum of \$200,-000 by the transfer of the policies of the Knights Templar and Masons' Life Indemnity Company to the Western Indemnity Company. It was also stated that he was receiving the sum of \$2,000 a month, when the assets of the concern did not warrant that amount a year. A printed statement of the affairs of the company, alleged to have been signed by one of the examiners of insurance for the state of Illinois, was received. This was read to the meeting, and a moment afterward a printed copy of and a moment afterward a printed copy of a telegram from William R. Vredenburgh, superintendent of insurance of Illinois, stating that no statement of the affairs of stating that no statement of the affairs of the company had been given out by his office, was produced. The meeting then engaged in a discussion of the validity of proxles, and it was later determined to have the secretary communicate at once with the policyholders' committee in Chicago, requesting that the necessary information as to the proper preparation of the proxles of the local policyholders, so as to be of use in Chicago, be sent to this city.

The most eminent grand master of Tem-The most eminent grand master of Templar Masonry of the United States, Gen. George M. Moulton, is president of the company, and a printed statement of the facts of the troubles in the concern, signed by him, was distributed. The policyholders present seemed to be much impressed with the fight that is being made upon the present officers of the company by the com-mittee in Chicago. There was considerable talk as to what action Judge Kohlsaat would take in the matter of sustaining the demurrer of the Western Life Indemnity Company in the injunction proceedings brought by the policyholders to prevent the transfer of the company's business to After discussion it was decided to adjourn

the meeting until next Monday night, when the answer of the committee in Chicago will have been received. Those present last evening were Messrs.

William Burnell, Franklin J. Foster, Wil-liam S. Parks, C. T. Yoder, John W. Drew Charles W. Brown, John L. Schaffert, Dr. John F. Collins, Charles Block, William H. Spignul, W. P. Tulloch, J. W. Powell, George Compton, Somerset R. Waters, W. S. Barker, E. C. Doniphan, W. S. Jenks, W. R. Bailey, James G. Bowen and R. M. Brown

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Resident of Annapolis Md Mr. Richard R. O'Connor died last evening at 11:30 o'clock at the residence of his son-in law. Mr. C. P. Rhodes, 27 Florida avenue northeast, after a brief illness. Mr. O'Connor was formerly a resident of Annapolis, Md., but for several years past has been making his home in this city with Mr. Rhodes. He was seventy-nine years of age and was prominent in the Masonic fraternity. He was a charter member and past master of Annapolis Lodge, No. 89. Funeral services will be held tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mr. Rhodes, and the body will be conveyed to Annapolis for buriel. The services at the grave will be under the auspices of the Masonic order

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Tour of the West.

Major J. H. Stine, president of the United Historical Society, will leave here tomorrow morning for a tour of the west in the interest of that organization. He will he says, take steps to form branch societies and will also make arrangements for the proposed meeting at Louisville, Ky. Major Stine will interview several of the state superintendents of education, who are vice presidents of the society, while he is away, with the view of improving and extending the society.

J. H. Small & Sons, Florists, 14th and G sts., Washington; Waldorf-Astoria and 1153 Broadway, New York.—Advt.

Twenty Dollars or Sixty Days. Pole straps caused trouble for Louis Ford,

lias Louis Shepherd. He was arraigned in the Police Court this morning on two charges of larceny, the article in question in each case being pole straps used on bug-gles. Judge Kimball made the sentence

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the primary school were each presented by Chicago, as well as this city, concerning

Zimmerman of Cumberland, Md., the conference evangelist who is now conducting a special service at Ryland M. E. Church.

Funeral services over the remains of Willam N. Armstrong, late attorney general of the Sandwich Islands, will be held at 5 o'clock this afternoon at the home of Col. Archibald Hopkins, 1826 Massachusetts ave-

LEGATION LEASES RESIDENCE.

cupied by Argentine Minister. The handsome residence of Mrs. Mc-Knight Moses, on 16th street, has been eased by Thomas Bryan Huyck to the Argentine minister, Senor Don Epifanio Portela, who will take possession and establish the Argentine legation there at once. This property is one of the finest on 16th street, and is especially well adapted to legation purposes. It was formerly occupied by Col. Arthur Hamilton Lee, M. P., then of the British embassy, and later by Mr. and Mrs. George Eustis

Trust the Work to Gude

Anacostia and Vicinity. Messrs. Armistead Williams, John Cu-

returned after a hunting expedition in the vicinity of Seat Pleasant. Roscoe-Turner, a six-year-old colored boy, was severely hurt yesterday owing to the fact that he climbed on the rear of a wagon descending the Nichols avenue hill

Anacostia Branch Star Office. Chas. G. Lohr's Printery, 128 Monroe street, receives advertisements for The Star at regular rates. The best help is obtained

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RALLY DAY SERVICE.

Sunday.

The Sunday school of Union M. E. Church observed the rally day Sunday morning with interesting exercises, the Sunday school room being filled with the school and membership of the church, who

The scholars of classes graduating from

the primary school were each presented by the school through its secretary. A. S. Taylor, with Oxford Teachers' Bibles, and the new classes were received into the main school with a charge and advice by the pastor, Rev. S. Reese Murray.

The offerings of the school were dropped into pumpkins prepared for the purpose, as each class marched to the desk.

A duet by Misses Corbin and Rodier was well rendered, and solos and recitations gave further interest to the hour. The school was addressed by Rev. Alfred H. Zimmerman of Cumberland. Md., the con-

Fall Opening of Carpets and Rugs. Special price inducements. Moses, F & 11th.

FUNERAL THIS AFTERNOON.

Remains of William N. Armstrong to Be Cremated.

Mr. Armstrong's three sons are all in Washington and will be present. The service will be conducted by Rev. U. G. B. Pierce of All Souls' Church. The body will be cremated and the ashes will be sent to

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